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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

Isao OTA et al.

Group Art Unit: 1793

Application No.: 10/678,093

Examiner: M. MARCHESCHI

Filed: October 6, 2003

Docket No.: 111398.01

For: ABRASIVE COMPOUND FOR GLASS HARD DISK PLATTER

SUPPLEMENTAL FILING OF DECLARATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.132

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

As a supplement to the Amendment filed on February 10, 2009, please further consider the attached Declaration Under 37 C.F.R. §1.132 and the following:

Remarks.

REMARKS

In addition to the amendment to the claims and the remarks presented in the Amendment filed on February 10, 2009, please consider the attached Declaration Under 37 C.F.R. §1.132, which presents evidence coinciding with the Comparative Test summarized in the Amendment filed on February 10, 2009. The Declaration is submitted in support of the unexpected results discussion in the February 10 Amendment.

In view of the foregoing, and in view of the amendments and remarks in the February 10 Amendment, it is respectfully submitted that this application is in condition for allowance. Favorable reconsideration and prompt allowance of the application are earnestly solicited.

Should the Examiner believe that anything further would be desirable in order to place this application in even better condition for allowance, the Examiner is invited to contact the undersigned at the telephone number set forth below.

Respectfully submitted,



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ATTACHMENT:

Declaration Under 37 C.F.R. §1.132

Date: February 27, 2009

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